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SUBJECT:

Annual Meeting of The American Association

for the Advancement of Science

- 1. The American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) will hold its annual meeting in Cleveland, Ohio, from 26-27 December 1963. The AAAS has been granted funds by the National Science Founddation to present a symposium on the sciences in Japan at this meeting.
- 2. Seventeen (17) speakers from Japan, selected on the basis of their scientific prominence, have been invited, each to describe a field of research in which Japanese scientists have been making significant contributions. The speakers and their topics have been selected by the Science Council of Japan. Each Japanese scientist will prepare a paper of up to 15,000 words and a summary for presentation within 15 minutes. The summary paper is to be presented orally either in Japanese or English. Simultaneous translation from Japanese to English will make it possible for each speaker to use either language, and will facilitate subsequent discussions. The full papers are to be published by the AAAS as a symposium volume similar to Sciences in Communist China (1961). Acquisitions Branch, CIA Library played a major support role in providing publications to the symposium on the Sciences in Communist China.

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| 5X6 | 4. Since the subjects to be discussed at this Association meeting provide opportunities to acquire information of value to our publications procurement program, it is requested that Mr. Chief, 25X Foreign Section, be permitted to attend this AAAS Symposium on the Sciences in Japan, to be held at the time and place cited above. Mr. |
| 25X1 | Sciences in Japan, to be note at the time and place of the same |



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